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FOR: PERFECT BOUND BOOK HAVING A DOUBLE LAMINATED COVER AND
METHOD OF AND APPARATUS FOR MANUFACTURING SAME

St. Louis, Missouri

October 17, 2003

RESPONSE TO EXAMINER'S ACTION MAILED October 1, 2003, ELECTION
PURSUANT TO 37 CFR § 1.121

Sir:

In the Examiner's action mailed October 1, 2003, restriction was required
between the following groups of claims:

Group I: Claims 1 – 11 drawn to a bound book; and

Group II: Claims 12 – 38 drawn to a method and apparatus of printing a book.

In accordance with 37 CFR §1.143, Applicant herewith provisionally elects

Group II, claims 12-38.

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In view of the foregoing, examination on the merits of claims 12-38 is requested.

Respectfully submitted,



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